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TRANSMITTAL LETTER TO THE UNITED STATES DESIGNATED/ELECTED OFFICE (DO/EO/US) CONCERNING A FILING UNDER 35 U.S.C. 371

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| INTERNATIONAL | APPLICATION NO. |
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INTERNATIONAL FILING DATE

29 May 2000

PRIORITY DATE CLAIMED

PCT/FR00/01457

02 June 1999

TITLE OF INVENTION

BREAST PROSTHESIS

APPLICANT(S) FOR DO/EO/US

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Applicant herewith submits to the United States Designated/Elected Office (DO/EO/US) the following items and other information.

- 1. _X_ This is a FIRST submission of items concerning a filing under 35 U.S.C. 371.
- 2. ___ This is a SECOND or SUBSEQUENT submission of items concerning a filing under 35 U.S.C. 371.
- 3. _X; This is an express request to promptly begin national examination procedures (35 U.S.C. 371(f)).
- 4. X The US has been elected by the expiration of 19 months from the priority date (PCT Article 31).

 - A copy of the International Application as filed (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(2))

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- - have not been made and will not be made.
- An English language translation of the amendments to the claims under PCT Article 19 (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(3))
- 9. An oath or declaration of the inventor(s) (35 U.S.C. .371(c)(4)).
- Executed Executed An English language translation of the annexes to the International Preliminary Examination Report under PCT Article 36 (U.S.C. 371(c)(5)).

Items 11 to 16 below concern other document(s) or information included:

| 11. | Assignee: | |
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- 12. ___ An Information Disclosure Statement under 37 CFR 1.97 and 1.98.
- 13. ___ An assignment document for recording. A separate cover sheet in compliance with 37 CFR 3.28 and 3.31 is included.

_X. A FIRST preliminary amendment.
 _ A SECOND or SUBSEQUENT preliminary amendment.

- 15. __ A substitute specification.
- 16. ___ A change of power of attorney and/or address letter.
- 17. __ Figure of Drawing to be published_

18. _X_ Other items or information:

Cover Sheet and International Application as published in French.

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PCT/IB/308(in French).

PCT/ISA/210.

Claim of Priority.

| U.S. APPLICATION 1.5) | APPLICATION NO. (If known, see 37 CEP) INTERNATIONAL APPLICATION NO. PCT/FR00/01457 | | TION NO. | ATTORNEY'S DOCKET NUMBER | | | |
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| 19 The following | fees are submitted: | The state of the s | | CALCULATIONS | PTO USE ONLY | | |
| Basic National Fee (37 CFR 1.492(a)(1)-(5)): Search report has been prepared by the EPO or JPO | | | | | | | |
| International preliminary examination fee paid to USPTO (37 CFR 1.482) \$ 710.00 | | | | | | | |
| No international preliminary examination fee paid to USPTO (37 CFR 1.482) but international search fee paid to USPTO(37 CFR 1.445(a)(2) | | | | | | | |
| Neither international preliminary examination fee (37 CFR 1.482) nor international search fee (37 CFR 1.445(a)(2) paid to USPTO | | | | | | | |
| International preliminary examination fee paid to USPTO (37 CFR 1.482) and all claims satisfied provisions of PCT Article 33(2)-(4)\$ 100.00 | | | | | | | |
| , | E | ENTER APPROPRIATE BASIC FEE AM | 10UNT = | \$890.00 | | | |
| Surcharge of \$130.00 for furnishing the oath or declaration later than 20 30 months from the earliest claimed priority date (37 CFR 1.492(e)). | | | | \$ | | | |
| Claims | Number Filed | Number Extra | RATE | | | | |
| Total Claims | 21 - 20 = | 1 | X \$18.00 | \$18.00 | | | |
| Independent Claims | 1 - 3 = | 0 | X \$84.00 | \$0.00 | | | |
| Multiple dependent claim(s) (if applicable) + \$280.00 | | | | \$0.00 | _ | | |
| TOTAL OF ABOVE CALCULATIONS = | | | JLATIONS = | \$908.00 | | | |
| Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27. The fees indicated above are reduced by \(\frac{1}{2} \). | | | | \$454.00 | | | |
| Falk SUBTOTAL = | | | | \$454.00 | | | |
| Processing fee of \$130 months from the earlie | 0.00 for furnishing the Erest claimed priority date (| | | | | | |
| Extension of Time fee | in the amount of \$ | | | | | | |
| 1 | | TOTAL NATIO |)NAL FEE = | \$454.00 | | | |
| Fee for recording the enclosed assignment (37 CFR 1.21(h). The assignment must be accompanied by an appropriate cover sheet (37 CFR 3.28, 3.31). \$40.00 per property | | | | | | | |
| , | | TOTAL FEES E | NCLOSED = | \$454.00 | | | |
| | | | | Amount to be refunded | \$ | | |
| | | | | Charged | \$ | | |
| aX_ A check in the amount of \$454.00 to cover the above fees is enclosed. | | | | | | | |
| b Please charge my Deposit Account No in the amount of \$ to cover the above fees. | | | | | | | |
| cX. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 19-0089. | | | | | | | |
| NOTE: Where an appropriate time limit under 37 CFR 1.494 or 1.495 has not been met, a petition to revive (37 CFR 1.137(a) or (b)) must be filed and granted to restore the application to pending status. | | | | | | | |
| SEND ALL CORRES AT THE PRESENT A Neil F. Greenblum GREENBLUM & BE 1941 Roland Clarke P Reston, VA 20191 (703) 716-1191 | RNSTEIN, P.L.C. | OMER NO. 7055 07055 | | SIGNATURE Neil F. Greenblum NAME | J C 2 A J | | |
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VERIFICATION OF TRANSLATION

- I, RACHEL L. O'DELL
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declare that I am well acquainted with both the French and English languages, and that the attached is a literal translation, to the best of my knowledge and ability, of the International Application No. PCT/FR00/01457, filed May 29, 2000.

Signature (achill. C'Dell

Date November 29, 2001